

CHACAHOULA FIELD
04-431 thru 04-434

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, MAY 18, 2004**, upon the application of **CABOT OIL & GAS CORPORATION**. At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Dibert 1 Sand, Reservoir B, Dibert 2 Sand, Reservoir B, Dibert 3 Sand, Reservoir B and Dibert 4 Sand, Reservoir B**, in the Chacahoula Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana.

DIBERT 1 SAND, RESERVOIR B

1. To dissolve the existing drilling and production unit created by Office of Conservation Order No. 324-BB and to simultaneously create a revised single drilling and production unit for the Dibert 1 Sand, Reservoir B, all as shown more particularly on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To designate the Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation - Dibert Stark and Brown No. 117 Well as the unit well for the DIBERT 1 RB SUA.
3. To grant an exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 324-BB and Statewide Order No. 29-E and to permit Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation to drill, designate and utilize their Dibert Stark and Brown No. 121 Well as an alternate unit well for the DIBERT 1 RB SUA, such well to be at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
4. To make a specific finding that such proposed alternate unit well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the unit which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any other well within the unit.
5. To grant a single unit allowable for the DIBERT 1 RB SUA and to permit the operator of the unit to produce said unit allowables from the unit well, the proposed alternate unit well, or from both wells at its option.

The Dibert 1 Sand, Reservoir B, in the Chacahoula Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing sand between the measured depths of 7,438' and 7,471' (ELM) in the Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation - Dibert Stark and Brown No. 117 Well, located in Section 72, Township 15 South, Range 15 East.

DIBERT 2 SAND, RESERVOIR B

1. To dissolve the existing drilling and production unit created by Office of Conservation Order No. 324-CC and to simultaneously create a revised single drilling and production for the Dibert 2 Sand, Reservoir B, designated as the DIBERT 2 RB SUA, all as shown more particularly on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To designate the Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation - Dibert Stark and Brown No. 117 Well as the unit well for the DIBERT 2 RB SUA.

3. To grant an exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 324-CC and Statewide Order No. 29-E and to permit Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation to drill, designate and utilize their Dibert Stark and Brown No. 121 Well as an alternate unit well for the DIBERT 2 RB SUA such well to be at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
4. To make a specific finding that such proposed alternate unit well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the DIBERT 2 RB SUA which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any other well within the unit.
5. To grant single unit allowable for the DIBERT 2 RB SUA and to permit the operator of the unit to produce said unit allowables from the unit well, the proposed alternate unit well, or from both wells at its option.

The Dibert 2 Sand, Reservoir B, in the Chacahoula Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing sand between the measured depths of 7,505' and 7,550' (ELM) in the Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation - Dibert Stark and Brown No. 117 Well, located in Section 72, Township 15 South, Range 15 East.

DIBERT 3 SAND, RESERVOIR B

1. To dissolve the existing drilling and production unit created by Office of Conservation Order No. 324-DD and to simultaneously create a revised single drilling and production unit for the Dibert 3 Sand, Reservoir B, designated as the DIBERT 3 RB SUA, all as shown more particularly on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To grant an exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 324-DD and Statewide Order No. 29-E and to permit Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation to drill, designate and utilize their Dibert Stark and Brown No. 121 Well as a substitute unit well for the DIBERT 3 RB SUA such well to be at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
3. To find that this well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the reservoir covered by the unit which cannot be effectively and efficiently drained by any existing well within the unit.

The Dibert 3 Sand, Reservoir B, in the Chacahoula Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined by Office of Conservation Order No. 324-DD.

DIBERT 4 SAND, RESERVOIR B

1. To dissolve the existing drilling and production unit created by Office of Conservation Order No. 324-EE and to simultaneously create a revised single drilling and production for the Dibert 4 Sand, Reservoir B, designated as the DIBERT 4 RB SUA, all as shown more particularly on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To grant an exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 324-EE and Statewide Order No. 29-E and to permit Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation to drill, designate and utilize their Dibert Stark and Brown No. 121 Well as a substitute unit well for the DIBERT 4 RB SUA such well to be at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.

3. To find that this well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the reservoir covered by the unit which cannot be effectively and efficiently drained by any existing well within the unit.

The Dibert 4 Sand, Reservoir B, in the Chacahoula Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined by Office of Conservation Order No. 324-EE.

FOR THE ABOVE SANDS

1. To designate an operator for the units created herein.
2. To find that, except to the extent contrary to the orders granted by the Commissioner in connection with the hearing held on this application, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order Nos. 324-BB, 324-CC, 324-DD and 324-EE shall remain in full force and effect.
3. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

**JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.